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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1819.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Joseph J. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Langdon Cheves, Nicholas Biddle, Manuel Eyre, of Pennsylvania, John McKim, of Maryland, and Charles E. Dudley, of New York, to be Directors of the Bank of the United States.

JAMES MONROE.

December 20th, 1819.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1819.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating Langdon Cheves, and others, to be Directors of the Bank of the United States; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

MONDAY, JANUARY 3, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

Commissions having been granted, during the recess of the Senate, to the following persons, I now nominate them to the same offices, as respectively annexed to their names.

JAMES MONROE.

December, 1819.

Edward Coles, of Illinois, to be Register of the Land Office of the United States, at Edwardsville, in the State of Illinois, in the room of Nathaniel Pope, appointed Judge in Illinois.

William Barnett, of Alabama, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for lands of the United States, at Jackson Court-house.

Willoughby Barton, of Georgia, to be Register of the Land Office of the United States, at Jackson Court-house.

Charles S. Cosby, of Louisiana, to be Register of the Land Office of the United States, at St. Helena.

Fulwar Skipwith, of Louisiana, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for lands of the United States, at St. Helena.

Warren Brown, of Illinois, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for Lands of the United States, at Kaskaskia.

John Raynals, of Copenhagen, to be Consul of the United States, for the port of Copenhagen.

Thomas Carbery, and Ezekiel M'Daniel, of the District of Columbia, to be Justices of the Peace, in and for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia.

Richard W. Habersham, of Georgia, to be Attorney of the United States, for the Georgia district, in the room of William Davies, appointed Judge.

Jonathan Kearsley, of Pennsylvania, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for lands of the United States, at Detroit.

Robert Tillotson, of New York, to be Attorney of the United States, in and for the Southern district of New York, in the room of Jonathan Fisk, resigned.

Daniel Schnebly, of Maryland, to be Collector of direct taxes and internal duties, for the 8th collection district of Maryland, in the room of Thomas B. Hall, resigned.

Eleazer Burnham, of New York, to be Collector of direct taxes and internal duties, for the 23d collection district of New York, in the room of Jonathan Richmond, resigned.

Robert Batte, of Virginia, to be Collector of direct taxes and internal duties, for the 14th collection district of Virginia, in the room of Charles Russell, deceased.

Theophilus T. Ware, of Pennsylvania, to be Collector of direct taxes and internal duties, for the 10th collection district of Pennsylvania, in the room of Jonathan Kearsley, resigned.

Joshua Dodge, of Massachusetts, to be Consul of the United States, for the port of Marseilles, in the room of Stephen Cathalan, deceased.

George M. Bibb, of Kentucky, to be Attorney of the United States, for the Kentucky district, in the room of Robert Wickliffe, resigned.

James R. Pringle, of South Carolina, to be Collector of the Customs for the district of Charleston, in the room of William Johnson, declined accepting.

Benjamin Reeder, of Virginia, to be Marshal for the district west of the Alleghany mountain, in the State of Virginia.

Henry C. Neale, of the District of Columbia, to be Register of Wills, for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, in the room of James H. Blake, deceased.

Richard Bland Lee, of the District of Columbia, to be Judge of the Orphan's Court, for the county of Washington, in the district aforesaid, in the room of Robert Brent, resigned.

John C. S. Harrison, of Indiana, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for lands of the United States, at Vincennes, in the State of Indiana, in the room of Nathaniel Ewing, removed.

John M. Canfield, of New York, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the district of Sackett's Harbor.

Woodbridge Odlin, of Pennsylvania, to be Consul of the United States for the port of St. Salvador, in Brazil.

Thompson Mason, of Virginia, to be Collector of the Customs for the district of Alexandria, in the room of Charles Simms, deceased.

William Hewitt, of the District of Columbia, to be Collector of Internal duties for the District of Columbia, in the room of James H. Blake, deceased.

Robert Purdy, of Tennessee, to be Marshal of the United States, in and for the west Tennessee district, in the room of John Childress, deceased.

John Condit, of New Jersey, to be Assistant Collector for the district of New York, for the city and port of Jersey, in the room of Henry Van Dalsen, resigned.

William Armistead, of Virginia, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Hampton, in the room of David Broadie, deceased.

Theodorick Bland, of Maryland, to be Judge of the United States, in and for the Maryland district, in the room of James Houston, deceased.

Roger Skinner, of New York, to be Judge of the United States, in and for the northern district of New York, in the room of M. B. Tallmadge, resigned.

Jacob Sutherland, of New York, to be Attorney of the United States, in and for the northern district of New York, in the room of Roger Skinner, appointed Judge.

William Minor, Thomas Vowell, George Wise, and Christopher Neale, of the District of Columbia, to be Justices of the Peace for the County of Alexandria, in the District of Columbia.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

Mr. Otis submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to transmit to the Senate, confidentially, such information, as in his judgment, it may be proper now to communicate, respecting the progress of the negotiation with the government of Great Britain, in relation to the intercourse between the United States and the British colonies.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate, for its advice and consent as to the ratification, three treaties, which have been concluded in the course of the present year, with the Kickapoos, the Chippaways, and the Kickapoos of the Vermillion, by Commissioners who were duly authorized for the purpose.

With the Chippaways there is a supplementary article, stipulating certain advantages in their favor, on condition that the same shall be ratified by the Executive, with the advice and consent of the Senate, which I likewise submit to your consideration.

JAMES MONROE.

December 31st, 1819.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1820.

The message yesterday received from the President of the United States, and the treaties and documents accompanying the same, were read.

Ordered, That the treaties severally pass to a second reading.

On motion by Mr. Leake,

Ordered, That they be printed for the use of the Senate, under an injunction of secrecy.

The Senate took into consideration the motion of the 3d instant, requesting information respecting the progress of the negotiation with Great Britain, in relation to her intercourse with the colonies, and agreed thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 3d instant, nominating Edward Coles, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Edward Coles, Charles S. Cosby, Fulwar Skipwith, Warren Brown, Thomas Carbery, Ezekiel McDaniel, Richard W. Habersham, Jonathan Kearsley, Robert Tillotson, Daniel Schnebly, Eleazer Burnham, Robert Batte, Theophilus T. Ware, George M. Bibb, James R. Pringle, Benjamin Reeder, Henry C. Neale, Richard Bland Lee, Thompson Mason, William Hewitt, Robert Purdy, John Condit, Theodorick Bland, Roger Skinner, and Jacob Sutherland, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Mississippi,

Ordered, That the consideration of the nominations of William Barnett, and Willoughby Barton, be postponed to Wednesday next.

On motion by Mr. Noble,

Ordered, That the nomination of John C. S. Harrison be postponed to Monday next.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nominations of John Raynals, Joshua Dodge, and Woodbridge Odlin, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The nomination of John M. Canfield being under consideration, Mr. Sanford submitted certain documents relating thereto; and, on his motion,

Ordered, That the nomination, together with said documents, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nominations of William Minor, Thomas Vowell, George Wise, and Christopher Neale, be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Armistead be postponed.

MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 1820.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of John C. S. Harrison, contained in the message of the 3d instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Pleasants,

Ordered, That the nomination of William Armistead be postponed until to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1820.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Willoughby Barton and William Armistead, contained in the message of the 3d instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Horsey, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the nominations of William Minor, Thomas Vowell, George Wise, and Christopher Neale, to be Justices of the Peace for the county of Alexandria, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Leake,

Ordered, That the several Indian treaties now before the Senate for ratification, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

In compliance with the resolution of the Senate, of the 5th instant, the enclosed papers are transmitted to them *in confidence*, and contain all the information in possession of the Executive, respecting the progress of the negotiation with the British government, in relation to the intercourse between the United States and the British colonies.

JAMES MONROE.

18th January, 1820.

The message and accompanying documents were read.

On motion by Mr. Otis,

Ordered, That they be printed for the use of the Senate, under an injunction of secrecy.

The two following written messages were also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons in the accompanying list, for the offices respectively annexed to their names, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

JAMES MONROE.

January 21st, 1820.

WAR DEPARTMENT, January 20, 1820.

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you a list of the promotions and appointments which have been made in the Army since the close of the last session of the Senate.

I have the honor to be,

With perfect respect,

Your most obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

To the PRESIDENT of the United States.

PROMOTIONS.

Corps of Engineers.

Major Charles Gratiot, to be Lieut. Colonel, 31st March, 1819, vice M'Ree, resigned.

Captain Samuel Babcock, to be Major, 31st March, 1819, vice Gratiot, promoted.

1st Lieut. David B. Douglass, brevet Capt. to be Captain, 31st March, 1819, vice Babcock, promoted.

2d Lieut. Thomas J. Leslie, to be 1st Lieut., 31st March, 1819, vice Douglass, promoted.

2d Lieut. William H. Chase, to be 1st Lieut., 31st March, 1819, vice Trescott, resigned.

Ordnance Department.

1st Lieut. Joseph S. Nelson, brevet Capt. to be Captain, 13th August, 1819, vice Tyler, dismissed.

2d Lieut. Charles F. Morton, to be 1st Lieut., 31st March, 1819, vice Lyman, resigned.

2d Lieut. John W. Phillips, to be 1st Lieut., 4th August, 1819, vice Stephenson, deceased.

2d Lieut. O. O. Bangs, to be 1st Lieut. 13th August, 1819, vice Nelson, promoted.

2d Lieut. James Simonson, to be 1st Lieut., 10th October, 1819, vice Keizer, deceased.

2d Lieut. John Hills, to be 1st Lieut., 31st December, 1819, vice Baker, resigned.

3d Lieut. Martin Thomas, to be 2d Lieut., 31st March, 1819, vice Morton, promoted.

3d Lieut. L. A. Rigail, to be 2d Lieut., 4th August, 1819, vice Phillips, promoted.

3d Lieut. Benjamin Vining, to be 2d Lieut., 13th August, 1819, vice Bangs, promoted.

3d Lieut. John R. Bowes, to be 2d Lieut., 10th October, 1819, vice Simonson, promoted.

3d Lieut. Benjamin Walker, to be 2d Lieut., 31st December, 1819, vice Hills, promoted.

Light Artillery.

1st Lieut. John H. Wilkins, to be Captain, 28th August, 1819, vice Towson, Paymaster General.

1st Lieut. Wm. Lyman, to be Captain, 31st December, 1819, vice Harris, resigned.

2d Lieut. Walter Smith, to be 1st Lieut., 5th June, 1819, vice Gates, resigned.

2d Lieut. Henry F. Evans, to be 1st Lieut., 8th August, 1819, vice Shaw, deceased.

2d Lieut. William Wells, to be 1st Lieut., 28th August, 1819, vice Wilkins, promoted.

2d Lieut. John A. Webber, to be 1st Lieut., 31st October, 1819, vice Machay, resigned.

2d Lieut. Thomas J. Gardner, to be 1st Lieut., 31st December, 1819, vice Lyman, promoted.

Corps of Artillery.

1st Lieut. Chester Root, brevet Capt., to be Captain, 5th March, 1819, vice Hall, resigned.

1st Lieut. Gustavus Loomis, to be Captain, 7th April, 1819, vice Scott, deceased.

1st Lieut. John Mountford, brevet. Capt. to be Captain, 11th August, 1819, vice Reed, deceased.

1st Lieut. Fabius Whiting, to be Captain, 10th September, 1819, vice Swett, deceased.

1st Lieut. Greenleaf Dearborn, to be Captain, 30th September, 1819, vice Brown, resigned.

1st Lieut. Felix Ansart, to be Captain, 28th November, 1819, vice Peters, deceased.

2d Lieut. R. C. Brent, to be 1st Lieut., 5th March, 1819, vice Root, promoted.

2d Lieut. A. F. Cochrane, to be 1st Lieut., 7th April, 1819, vice Loomis, promoted.

2d Lieut. Thomas W. Lendrum, to be 1st Lieut., 30th May, 1819, vice Nicoll, resigned.

2d Lieut. James Spencer, to be 1st Lieut., 26th June, 1819, vice Craig, deceased.

2d Lieut. Isaac A. Adams, to be 1st Lieut., 31st July, 1819, vice Gardner, resigned.

2d Lieut. W. M. Graham, to be 1st Lieut., 11th August, 1819, vice Mountford, promoted.

2d Lieut. James D. Graham, to be 1st Lieut., 8th September, 1819, vice Armstrong, deceased.

2d Lieut. Charles Despinville, to be 1st Lieut., 10th September, 1819, vice Whiting, promoted.

2d Lieut. John C. Kirk, to be 1st Lieut., 30th September, 1819, vice Dearborn, promoted.

2d Lieut. John R. Vinton, to be 1st Lieut., 30th September, 1819, vice Lowe, resigned.

2d Lieut. Richard B. Lee, to be 1st Lieut., 31st October, 1819, vice Snyder, resigned.

2d Lieut. F. L. Griffith, to be 1st Lieut., 28th November, 1819, vice Ansart, promoted.

2d Lieut. Wm. G. McNeill, to be 1st Lieut., 4th December, 1819, vice Beall, cashiered.

First Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. Waddy V. Cobbs, to be Captain, 31st March, 1819, vice Peychaud, resigned.

1st Lieut. Truman Cross, to be Captain, 27th September, 1819, vice Rogers, deceased.

2d Lieut. Jehiel Brooks, to be 1st Lieut. 16th March, 1819, vice Rogers, promoted.

2d Lieut. W. R. Jouett, to be 1st Lieut., 31st March, 1819, vice Cobbs, promoted.

2d Lieut. Alex. B. Garrard, to be 1st Lieut., 26th July, 1819, vice Seaton, dropped.

2d Lieut. David S. Barnum, to be 1st Lieut., 5th September, 1819, vice Gibbs, deceased.

2d Lieut. Samuel L. Isett, to be 1st Lieut., 27th September, 1819, vice Cross, promoted.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. William Hoffman, to be Captain, 1st May, 1819, vice Sproul, resigned.

2d Lieut. Seth Johnston, to be 1st Lieut., 1st May, 1819, vice Hoffman, promoted.

2d. Lieut. Joshua B. Brant, to be 1st Lieut., 1st December, 1819, vice Clark, resigned.

2d Lieut. John Clitz, to be 1st Lieut., 31st December, 1819, vice Wood, resigned.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

Capt. A. Cummings, of the 4th Infantry, to be Major, 20th April, 1819, vice Taylor, promoted.

2d Lieut. Britton Evans, to be 1st Lieut., 1st April, 1819, vice Taliaferro, resigned.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. Henry Wilson, to be Captain, 20th April, 1819, vice Cummings, promoted.

1st Lieut. Richard M. Sands, to be Captain, 30th April, 1819, vice McGavock, Jr. resigned.

2d Lieut. Wm. H. Barclay, to be 1st Lieut., 20th April, 1819, vice Wilson, promoted.

2d Lieut. Lee Slaughter, to be 1st Lieut., 30th April, 1819, vice Sands, promoted.

Sixth Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. Ephraim Shaylor, to be Captain, 30th April, 1819, vice Smith, resigned.

1st Lieut. John P. Livingston, to be Captain, 18th August, 1819, vice Crooker, dismissed.

2d Lieut. James McIlvain, to be 1st Lieut., 30th April, 1819, vice Shaylor, promoted.

2d Lieut. Benjamin Fitch, to be 1st Lieut., 30th June, 1819, vice Sawyer, resigned.

2d Lieut. Jacob Brown, to be 1st Lieut., 18th August, 1819, vice Livingston, promoted.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. Micajah Crupper, to be Captain, 31st May, 1819, vice Corbaly, resigned.

1st Lieut. Granville Leftwich, to be Captain, 15th June, 1819, vice Gray, deceased.

1st Lieut. Benj. R. Christian, to be Captain, 31st December, 1819, vice Vashon, resigned.

2d Lieut. Henry S. Mallory, to be 1st Lieut., 31st May, 1819, vice Crupper, promoted.

2d Lieut. Alexander M. Houston, to be 1st Lieut., 31st August, 1819, vice Lawshe, resigned.

2d Lieut. Tho. C. Wilhight, to be 1st Lieut., 25th September, 1819, vice Hopkins, dismissed.

2d Lieut. Wm. N. Bronaugh, to be 1st Lieut., 31st December, 1819, vice Christian, promoted.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

Lt. Col. Duncan L. Clinch, of the 4th Infantry, to be Colonel, 20th April, 1819, vice Nicholas, resigned.

Major Z. Taylor of the 3d Infantry, to be Lt. Colonel, 20th April, 1819, vice Clinch, promoted.

1st Lieut. Samuel Riddle, to be Captain, 11th April, 1819, vice Dorman, deceased.

1st Lieut. John Maul, to be Captain, 8th May, 1819, vice Young, resigned.

1st Lt. R. B. Mason, to be Captain, 31st July, 1819, vice Austin, resig'd.

2d Lt. John Page, to be 1st Lieut., 1st Jan. 1819, vice Kennerly, resig'd.

2d Lt. John Wheelock, to be 1st Lieut., 19th March, 1819, vice Eddy, dismissed.

2d Lieut. John Philbrick, to be 1st Lieut., 11th April, 1819, vice Riddle, promoted.

2d Lieut. John Kremes, to be 1st Lieut., 8th May, 1819, vice Maul, promoted.

2d Lieut. Edward Webb, to be 1st Lieut., 31st July, 1819, vice Mason, promoted.

Rifle Regiment.

1st Lieut. Thomas F. Smith, to be Captain, 25th April, 1819, vice Gantt, deceased.

2d Lieut. Martin Scott, to be 1st Lieut., 2d November, 1819, vice Campbell, resigned.

APPOINTMENTS.

Nathan Towson, brevet Lt. Col. Light Artillery, to be Paymaster General, 28th August, 1819.

Joshua B. Brant, Lt. 2d Infantry, to be Ass. Dy. Qr. Master General, 30th November, 1819.

James R. Stubbs, late Lt. to be Ass. Dy. Qr. M. General, 30th Nov. 1819.

J. Ponte C. Macmahon, S. Mate, to be Post Surgeon, 23d July, 1819.

Selah Kerby, to be Post Surgeon, 27th July, 1819.

Robert M. Ball, S. Mate, to be Post Surgeon, 4th December, 1819.

William Beaumont, late S. Mate, to be Post Surgeon, 4th December, 1819.

E. H. Bell, Surgeon, 8th Infantry, to be Post Surgeon.

William H. Nicoll, S. Mate 6th Infantry, to be Post Surgeon.

Charles G. Foster, to be Assistant Apothecary General.

Thomas Grimebrede, N. J. to be Drawing M. Mil. Acad'y, 6th Jan. 1819.

Charles H. Smith, Va. to be Battalion Paymaster, 24th November, 1819.

Peter Fayssoux, S. C. to be Ass. Comm'y of Issues, 4th December, 1819.

William A. Eliason, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Engineers, 1st July, 1819.

Fred. A. Underhill, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Engineers, 1st July, 1819.

Cornelius A. Ogden, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Engineers, 1st July, 1819.

Henry Brewerton, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Engineers, 1st July, 1819.

John R. Bowes, Cadet, to be 3d Lieut. Ordnance, 1st July, 1819.

Benjamin Walker, Cadet, to be 3d Lieut. Ordnance, 1st July, 1819.

Amos Woodward, late Lt. to be 3d Lieut. Ordnance, 13th August, 1819.

Joseph Buckley, late Lt. to be 3d Lieut. Ordnance, 13th August, 1819.

Charles Thomas, Pa. to be 3d Lieut. Ordnance, 13th August, 1819.

James Dawson, Md. to be 3d Lieut. Ordnance, 13th August, 1819.

Zebina J. D. Kinsley, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 1st July, 1819.

Justin Dimmick, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 1st July, 1819.

Daniel Tyler, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 1st July, 1819.

Ethan C. Sickels, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 1st July, 1819.

John M. Edwards, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 1st July, 1819.

- Joseph D. Rupp, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Josiah Everett, Post Surgeon, to be Surgeon Light Artillery.
 Henry A. Thompson, Cadet, to be 2d Lt. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Wm. Turnbull, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Joshua Baker, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 George W. Whistler, Cadet, to be 2d Lt. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 John F. Hamtramck, Cadet, to be 2d Lt. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 James S. Hepburn, Cadet, to be 2d Lt. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 John L'Engle, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Austin Brockenbrough, Cadet, to be 2d Lt. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Jacob A. Dumest, Cadet, to be 2d Lt. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 James R. Blany, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Henry Gilbert, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Wm. H. Swift, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 1st July, 1819.
 Winthrop D. Ager, Sergeant, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th August, 1819.
 Peter Wilson, Columbia, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Anthony Pichevan, Serg. 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Lemuel Gates, Maryland, 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 John Smith, Pennsylvania, 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Abram Brady, Penn., 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 James Lovell, Mass. 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th August, 1819.
 Robert Wright, Maryland, 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Thomas P. Ridgely, Md. 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th August, 1819.
 William Poist, Penn. to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Chas. F. Spering, Penn. to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 James W. Webb, N. Y. to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 John R. Thornton, Ohio, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Wm. T. Mooklar, late Lieut. to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 27th Aug. 1819.
 C. F. Tracy, N. York, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 4th Dec. 1819.
 Alex'r Stewart, Md. to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery, 4th Dec. 1819.
 Wm. P. Smith, Penn. to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 Henry H. Macomb, N. York, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 Thomas B. Tilden, Maryland, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 George Mountz, Columbia, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 Alexander H. M'Rae, N. Carolina, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 Norman Holmes, Maryland, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 Hezekiah Garner, Maryland, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 John C. Goolrick, Alabama, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 James C. Hayward, Maryland, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 George C. Hutter, Pennsylvania, to be 2d Lieut. corps of Artillery.
 George W. Templeman, late of the Army, to be 2d Lieut. 1st Infantry, 17th March, 1819.
 Adam E. Hoffman, Ohio, to be 2d Lieut. 1st Infantry, 13th Aug. 1819.
 R. A. L. Codman, Con. to be 2d Lieut. 1st Infantry, 13th Aug. 1819.
 John Tucker, Maine, to be 2d Lieut. 1st Infantry, 4th December, 1819.
 Jefferson Ayres, Tennessee, to be 2d Lieut. 1st Infantry.
 William W. King, Maryland, to be 2d Lieut. 1st Infantry.
 Edmund B. Griswold, N. York, to be 2d Lieut. 2d Infantry, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Samuel L. Russell, New York, to be 2d Lieut. 2d Infantry, 13th Aug. 1819.
 William Van Ness, N. York, to be 2d Lieut. 2d Infantry, 30th Nov. 1819.

David Brooks, New York, to be 2d Lieut. 2d Infantry.
 Carlos A. Wait, New York, to be 2d Lieut. 2d Infantry.
 Horatio N. Baker, to be 2d Lieut. 3d Infantry, 13th August, 1819.
 Ming Valleau, New York, to be 2d Lieut. 3d Infantry, 13th August, 1819.
 Henry T. Hall, to be Surgeon's Mate, 3d Infantry, 23d July, 1819.
 Frederick W. Miller, Sergeant, 2d Lieut. 4th Infantry, 13th August, 1819.
 Pierce Butler, S. Carolina, to be 2d Lieut. 4th Infantry, 13th August, 1819.
 Arthur W. Thornton, Va, to be 2d Lieut. 4th Infantry, 30th Nov. 1819.
 John J. Jackson, Lieut. Artillery, to be 2d Lieut. 4th Infantry, 1st Dec. 1819.
 Joseph N. Clark, N. York, to be Surgeon's Mate, 4th Infantry.
 Joseph M. Baxley, late Lieut. to be 2d Lieut. 5th Infantry, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Joseph Hare, Pennsylvania, to be 2d Lieut. 5th Infantry.
 Robert McMillan, New York, to be Surgeon's Mate, 5th Infantry, 4th December, 1819.
 Andrew O. Waterhouse, Kentucky, to be 2d Lieutenant, 6th Infantry, 13th August, 1819.
 William N. Wickliffe, Kentucky, to be 2d Lieut. 6th Infantry, 20th Sept. 1819.
 John Bradley, Ser. Maj. to be 2d Lieut. 6th Infantry.
 John B. Hobkirk, Lieut. Ord. to be 2d Lieut. 7th Infantry, 24th July, 1819.
 John Stewart, Sergeant, to be 2d Lieut. 7th Infantry, 13th August, 1819.
 William Scott Colquhoun, Virginia, to be 2d Lieut. 7th Infantry, 4th Dec. 1819.
 William W. Outlaw, Ser. to be 2d Lieut. 7th Infantry, 4th Dec. 1819.
 John McCauley, Maryland, to be 2d Lieut. 7th Infantry.
 Benjamin L. E. Bonneville, Lieut. Light Artillery, to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry, 10th March, 1819.
 Edward J. Lambert, Lieut. Artillery, to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry, 10th March, 1819.
 William Malcom, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry, 1st July, 1819.
 John Mackenzie, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry, 1st July, 1819.
 Jasper Strong, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry, 1st July, 1819.
 Amos R. Thatcher, Penn. to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry, 13th Aug. 1819.
 Martin Burk, Columbia, to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry.
 Mosby McDaniel, Tennessee, to be 2d Lieut. 8th Infantry.
 Joseph P. Russell, Post Surgeon, to be Surgeon, 8th Infantry.
 Ayres P. Merrill, to be Surgeon's Mate, 8th Infantry, 19th March, 1819.
 Charles Sloan, Maryland, to be Surgeon's Mate, 8th Infantry.
 J. Edmondson, to be 2d Lieut. Rifle, 22d March, 1819.
 Roswell Conant, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Rifle, 1st July, 1819.
 John Duncan, Pennsylvania, to be 2d Lieut. Rifle, 4th December, 1819.
 John Clark, Pennsylvania, to be 2d Lieut. Rifle.
 Stephen Shea, late Lieutenant, to be 2d Lieut. Rifle.
 William Wilson, Captain Corps of Artillery, 3d May, 1808, to be Major by Brevet, to rank 3d May, 1818, for ten years' faithful service in same grade.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate the following persons, whose commissions are about to expire:

William Clark, whose commission as Governor in and over the Missouri Territory, will expire on the 21st instant, to be Governor of said Territory for three years next ensuing that date.

Lewis Cass, whose commission as Governor in and over the Michigan Territory, will expire on the 11th of February next, to be Governor of said Territory for three years next ensuing that date.

Beverly Daniel, whose commission as Marshal of the North Carolina District, will expire on the 26th of April next, to be Marshal of the same District for four years next ensuing that date.

James Prince, whose commission as Marshal of the Massachusetts District, will expire on the 16th instant, to be Marshal of the same District, for four years next ensuing that date.

JAMES MONROE.

January, 1820.

The messages were severally read, and considered by unanimous consent.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee,

Ordered, That the message nominating to Military promotions and appointments, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of William Clark, and Lewis Cass, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations lie for consideration.

The following written message was also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Samuel A. Morse, of the District of Maine, to be Collector of the Customs, and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Machias, in Maine.

Ebenezer Slaughter, of North Carolina, to be Surveyor of the Port, and Inspector of the Revenue, for Windsor, in that State.

George Ferabee, of the State of North Carolina, to be Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Camden, in that State.

John Chew, of Maryland, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for Havre de Grace, Maryland.

JAMES MONROE.

January 21st, 1820.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the nomination of William Barnet, contained in the message of the 3d instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Joseph Aborn, of the State of Louisiana, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the district of Nova Iberia, in the said State, in the room of James Miller, deceased.

Alexander Hunter, to be Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Savannah, in the State of Georgia, in the room of Thomas Bourke, resigned.

John McNeil, Jun. to be Collector of the Revenue for the Ninth District, in the State of Maryland, in the room of John McNeil, resigned.

I withdraw the name of Ebenezer Slaughter, as Surveyor of the port of Windsor, in the State of North Carolina, and substitute in lieu thereof that of James Palmer, of the State aforesaid.

JAMES MONROE.

January 24th, 1820.

The message was read, and considered by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Alexander Hunter, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the other nominations lie for consideration.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 24th instant, nominating Samuel A. Morse, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Samuel A. Morse, George Ferabee, and John Chew, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Beverly Daniel, and James Prince, as contained in the message of the 24th inst.; and,

On motion by Mr. Burrill,

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Finance, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 24th instant, nominating to military promotions and appointments, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions and appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Otis,

Ordered, That the message, received the 24th instant, relative to the progress of the negotiation with the British government, in relation to the intercourse with the colonies, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Henry Strong, of New York, to be Consul at Glasgow and Greenock, in Great Britain.

Emanuel Wambersie, to be Consul at Rotterdam.

JAMES MONROE.

January 28th, 1820.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

Mr. Brown, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nominations of John Raynals, Joshua Dodge, and Woodbridge Odlin, to be Consuls, as contained in the message of the 3d instant, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, Gerard S. Smith, of New York, as Consul at La Rochelle, in the place of Robert Sterry, deceased; and Joseph Bryan, also of New York, as Consul at Pernambuco, in Brazil, in the place of Joseph Ray, removed.

JAMES MONROE.

February 1, 1820.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1820.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate James Sterrett, of New Orleans, to be Naval Officer of the district of Mississippi, Louisiana.

Bernard Spalding, and John Boyce, of Georgetown, to be Justices of the Peace for the said town.

John Crabb, and Gustavus Higdon, of the City of Washington, to be Justices of the Peace for the said city.

JAMES MONROE.

February 7th, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Joseph F. Wingate, of Massachusetts, to be Collector of the Customs and Inspector of the Revenue, for the district of Bath, in the said State, in the room of Joshua Wingate, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

February 8th, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Isaac Rawlings, Jun., of Maryland, to be Factor of the United States at Arkansas.

Robert B. Belt, of Maryland, to be Factor at Fort Edwards.

John Hersey, of Maryland, to be Factor at Fort Confederation.

Barak Owens, of Maryland, to be Assistant Factor at Arkansas, in the room of William O. Allen, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

February 4th, 1820.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the message of the 28th of January, nominating Joseph Aborn, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Joseph Aborn and John McNeil, Jun., agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nomination of James Palmer be postponed.

The Senate took into consideration the nominations of Henry Strong and Emanuel Wambersie, contained in the message of the 31st January; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of Emanuel Wambersie, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nomination of Henry Strong be postponed.

The Senate took into consideration the nominations of Gerard D. Smith and Joseph Bryan, contained in the message of the 3d instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of Gerard D. Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nomination of Joseph Bryan be postponed.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1820.

Mr. Sanford, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the nominations of Beverley Daniel and James Prince, contained in the message of the 24th January, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the nomination of James Palmer, contained in the message of the 28th January; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating Joseph F. Wingate to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1820.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination to the Senate, of Henry Strong, as Consul at Glasgow and Greenock, and nominate Harvey Strong, of New York, for that appointment.

JAMES MONROE.

February 12th, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, George Theodore Ladico, of Port Mahon, in the Island of Minorca, as Consul for Minorca and all the Belaric Islands.

JAMES MONROE.

February 10th, 1820.

The messages were severally read.

On motion,

The message nominating Harvey Strong to office, was considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the other message lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Joseph Bryan, contained in the message of the 3d instant; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 9th instant, nominating Isaac Rawlings, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of Robert B. Belt, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nomination of Barak Owens be postponed to Wednesday next.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 9th instant, nominating James Sterrett, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of James Sterrett, and John Boyce, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion,

Ordered, That the other nominations be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Leake, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred several Indian treaties, reported the treaty with the Chippeway tribe, and the article supplementary thereto, without amendment.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1820.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons whose names are stated in the list annexed to the enclosed letter from Brigadier General Adam Lynn, to the Secretary of War, for the appointments respectively proposed.

JAMES MONROE.

February 24th, 1820.

[The nominations were withdrawn by message of the 15th of April, and the letter was delivered to Daniel Brent, Chief Clerk of the Department of State.]

To the Senate of the United States:

I correct the nomination which was made on the 7th of this month, to the Senate, of Bernard Spalding, and John Boyce, of Georgetown, as Justices of the Peace for said town, and nominate them anew; the first of Georgetown, and the last of the City of Washington, as Justices of the Peace for the county of Washington, in the district of Columbia; and I correct the nomination, made on the same day, of John Crabb and Gustavus Higdon, of the City of Washington, as Justices of the Peace for said City, and nominate them, likewise, as Justices of the Peace for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia.

I nominate Thomas Trask, of Surinam, as Consul of the United States for Surinam; and

Walter M. Leake, as Marshal for the District of Mississippi, in the room of Henry G. Johnston, resigned,

JAMES MONROE.

February 23d, 1820.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration,

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 17th instant, nominating George Theodore Ladico to office; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That the said nomination be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate proceeded to consider, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaty with the Chippeway nation of Indians, and the article supplementary thereto; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be postponed until tomorrow.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 1820.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 24th February, nominating Militia Officers for the District of Columbia; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on the Militia, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 24th February, nominating Bernard Spalding, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Bernard Spalding, John Boyce, John Crabb, Gustavus Higdon, and Walter M. Leake, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nomination of Thomas Trask be postponed.

The Senate resumed the nominations of Isaac Rawlings, and others, as contained in the message of the 9th February; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the consideration of the treaty with the Chippeway nation of Indians, and the supplementary article thereto; and,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the supplementary article?"

It was determined in the negative: Yeas, 9; Nays, 30.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Edwards, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnson, of Louisiana, Lanman, Leake, Lowrie, Noble, and Ruggles.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Burrill, Dana, Dickerson, Elliott, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Lloyd, Logan, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Otis, Palmer, Parrott, Pinkney, Pleasants, Roberts, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Trimble, Walker, of Alabama, Walker, of Georgia, and Wilson.

And no further amendment having been proposed, the President reported the treaty to the House; and

The question was again put, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the supplementary article?"

It was determined in the negative: Yeas, 9; Nays, 30.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Edwards, Johnson, of Kentucky, Johnson, of Louisiana, Lanman, Leake, Lowrie, Noble, Ruggles.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Burrill, Dana, Dickerson, Elliot, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Lloyd, Logan, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Otis, Palmer, Parrott, Pinkney, Pleasants, Roberts, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Trimble, Walker, of Alabama, Walker, of Georgia, and Wilson.

Ordered, That the treaty pass to a third reading.

Mr. Leake submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, with the exception of the article supplementary thereto, made and concluded at Saginaw, in the Territory of Michigan, on the 24th day of September, 1819, between the United States and the Chippeway nation of Indians.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1820.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Joseph Kenz, of Louisiana; Francis S. Beattie, of Penn.; Thomas J. Nelson, of New York; James Cornick, of Virginia; Robert F. Dandridge, of Virginia; Charles R. Smith, of Connecticut; William Williamson, New Jersey; William D. Babbit, of Massachusetts; Robert Falconer, of North Carolina; Samuel C. Smith, of Kentucky; Alexander Williams, of Tennessee; Joseph B. Stillman, of New York; Thomas Boyd, of Delaware; Edward Tilley, of Maryland; George Terrill, of Virginia; and David N. Mahon, of Pennsylvania, acting, to be Surgeon's Mates in the Navy.

John B. Fanning, of Massachusetts; Edward N. Cox, of New York; Nathaniel H. Perry, of Rhode Island; to be Pursers in the Navy.

Augustus A. Nicholson, of South Carolina; Charles Betts, of Virginia; Charles Sears, of Massachusetts; James McCawley, Jun., of Pennsylvania; Benjamin Macomber, of Rhode Island; George Cooper, of Massachusetts; Abraham N. Brevoort, of New York; Samuel S. Coojeman, of New Jersey; to be Second Lieutenants in the Marine Corps.

JAMES MONROE.

March 1st, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George Budd, Thomas Ap Catesby Jones, Joseph S. McPherson, John Porter, William Bolton Finch, and William B. Shubrick, Lieutenants in the Navy, to be Masters Commandant.

John Jay Young, Charles H. Bell, Abraham Bigelow, Otho Stallings, William Boden, Zachariah W. Nixon, John P. Cambreling, Henry C. Newton, Frank Ellery, Frederick Varnum, Frederick G. Wolbert, Walter Newcomb, Joseph R. Jarvis, Thomas W. Freelon, and Pardon M. Whipple, Midshipmen, to be Lieutenants in the Navy.

Samuel E. Watson, First Lieutenant, to be Captain of Marines, vice Lyman Kellogg, resigned.

James M. Clements, Second Lieutenant, to be a First Lieutenant of Marines.

JAMES MONROE.

March 1st, 1820.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the nomination of Thomas Trask, as contained in the message of the 24th February; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The treaty with the Chippeway nation of Indians was read the third time; and the resolution to ratify the same having been agreed to,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 26.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Dickerson, Elliot, Gailard, Hunter, Johnson, of Kentucky, King, of New York, Lanman, Leake, Lowrie, Macon, Mellen, Otis, Pinkney, Pleasants, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Taylor, Van Dyke, Walker, of Alabama, Walker, of Georgia, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, with the exception of the article supplementary thereto, made and concluded at Saginaw, in the Territory of Michigan, on the 24th day of September, 1819, between the United States and the Chippeway nation of Indians.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the foregoing resolution before the President of the United States.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1820.

The Senate took into consideration the messages of yesterday, nominating to promotions and appointments in the Navy and Marine Corps; and,

On motion by Mr. Pleasants,

Ordered, That they be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, John M. Hall, of Connecticut, as Consul at Cadiz, in the room of James Leander Cathcart, resigned; and John W. Parker, of Massachusetts, as Consul at Amsterdam, in the place of Alexander McRae, also resigned.

March 4th, 1820.

The message was read; and,

On motion by Mr. King, of Alabama,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Brown, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nomination of George Theodore Ladico, to be Consul, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

TUESDAY, MARCH 28, 1820.

Mr. Pleasants, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred two messages of the President of the United States, of the 2d instant, nominating to promotions and appointments in the Navy and Marine Corps, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the promotions and appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Leake, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the nominations of Isaac Rawlings, Jun., John Hersey, and Barak Owens, reported; and,

On motion by Mr. Trimble,

Ordered, That the said nominations be postponed to Monday next.

Mr. Leake, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred certain Indian treaties, reported the several treaties with the Kickapoo Indians, without amendment.

Mr. Noble, from the Committee on the Militia, to whom was referred the message of the 24th of February, nominating to appointments in the Militia of the District of Columbia, reported.

Mr. Dickerson, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred the nomination of John M. Canfield, contained in the message of the 3d of January, made a report, which was read.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Benjamin W. Booth, and Alexander Claxton, Lieutenants in the Navy, to be Masters Commandant.

JAMES MONROE.

The message was read, and considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The following written message was also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the President pro tem. of the Senate:

In a message to the Senate, during its present session, I nominated Gerard S. Smith, as Consul at La Rochelle, instead of Gerard D. Smith; and I must request you to have the mistake in the name corrected, accordingly, in the entry upon the Journal of the Senate.

JAMES MONROE.

March 23d, 1820.

The message was read; and,

On motion by Mr. King, of New York,

Ordered, That the Journal be corrected, in conformity to the request contained in said message.

FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1820.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John M. Canfield, together with the report of the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures thereupon; and,

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Ordered, That the consideration thereof be postponed to Monday next.

Mr. Brown, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred certain nominations to be Consuls, reported on the nomination of John M. Hall; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1820.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Henry Middleton, of South Carolina, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Russia, in the room of George Washington Campbell, resigned.

Henry Conner, of Illinois, to be Marshal for that State.

JAMES MONROE.

April 4, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the following persons for the offices respectively annexed to their names:

George F. Strother, of Virginia, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at St. Louis.

George Bullitt, of Arkansas, to be Register of the Land Office at Cape Girardeau; and Tunstall Quarles, of Kentucky, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at the same place.

Heartwell Boswell, of Kentucky, to be Register of the Land Office, for the district of Laurence, in the Territory of Arkansas; and John Trimble, of Kentucky, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at the same place.

William Douglass Simms, of Alexandria, to be Register of the Land Office at Arkansas, in the Territory of Arkansas, and Henry W. Conway, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at the same place.

Benjamin S. Pope, of Alabama, to be Register of the Land Office at Huntsville, in the said Territory; and Obadiah Jones, of the said Territory, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at the same place.

Christopher Ellery, of Rhode Island, to be Collector of the district of Newport, in the said State.

Barnabas Bates, of the State aforesaid, to be Collector for the district of Bristol, in Rhode Island.

Humphrey Peake, of Virginia, to be Collector of the district of Alexandria.

JAMES MONROE.

April 4th, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons in the accompanying list, from the Secretary of War, for the offices respectively annexed to their names.

JAMES MONROE.

4th April, 1820.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 30th*, 1820.

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you a list of appointments, requiring the confirmation of the Senate.

I have the honor to be,

With very great respect,

Your obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

To the PRESIDENT of the United States.

List of appointments to be submitted to the Senate of the United States.

William O. Allen, Arkansas, to be Brigadier General of the Militia of Arkansas.

David Brearley, New Jersey, to be Indian Agent in the Territory of Arkansas.

Robert French, Columbia, to be Post Surgeon, U. S. Army.

Charles N. McCloskey, Pa. to be Post Surgeon, U. S. Army.

Presley Craig, Pa. to be Surgeon's Mate, 6th Infantry.

R. V. McGuire, Md, to be Surgeon's Mate, Rifle regiment.

The messages were severally read.

On motion,

Ordered, That the message containing the Military nominations be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

The message nominating George F. Strother, and others, to offices, was considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Christopher Ellery and Barnabas Bates, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations lie for consideration.

Ordered, That the message, nominating Henry Middleton and Henry Conner, to offices, lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the nominations of Isaac Rawlings, Jun. John Hersey, and Barak Owens; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That the consideration thereof be further postponed to Wednesday next.

THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 1820.

The Senate resumed the nominations of George F. Strother, and others, as contained in the message of yesterday; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating Henry Middleton and Henry Conner, to offices; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Henry Middleton, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nomination of Henry Conner be postponed to Saturday next.

The Senate resumed the nomination of John M. Canfield, as contained in the message of the 3d of January, together with the report of the Committee of Commerce and Manufactures thereon; and,

On motion by Mr. Morrill,

It was agreed to take the question by yeas and nays.

On motion by Mr. Eaton,

Ordered, That the said nomination be postponed to Monday next.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 1820.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 5th instant, nominating William O. Allen, and others, to military appointments, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of William O. Allen.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the other appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Brown, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nominations of Joseph Bryan, Thomas Trask, and John W. Parker, to be Consuls, as contained in the messages of the 3d and 24th February, and 21st March, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the nomination of John M. Canfield, as contained in the message of the 3d of January; and,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 27; Nays, 12.

The yeas and nays having been previously required,

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Brown, Burrill, Dickerson, Edwards, Gaillard, Hunter, Johnson, of Louisiana, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Lanman, Lloyd, Logan, Mellen, Noble, Palmer, Parrott, Pleasants, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Thomas, Tichenor, Trimble, Walker, of Alabama, Walker, of Georgia, Williams, of Mississippi, and Williams, of Tennessee.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Dana, Eaton, Elliott, Leake, Lowrie, Macon, Morrill, Otis, Smith, Stokes, Van Dyke, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of John M. Canfield, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the nominations of Isaac Rawlings, Jun., John Hersey, and Barak Owens, contained in the message of the 9th February; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of Isaac Rawlings, Jun., agreeably to the nomination; and they do not advise and consent to the appointment of Barak Owens.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Hersey be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate proceeded to consider, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaties with the Kickapoo Indians; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That they be postponed to Monday next.

THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1820.

The Senate resumed the nomination of Henry Conner, contained in the message of the 5th instant; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That the consideration thereof be postponed to Monday next.

SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1820.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the list of persons, nominated for appointments in the Militia in the District of Columbia, transmitted to the Senate with my message of the 24th of February last.

JAMES MONROE.

14th April, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William W. Dulany, Second Lieutenant, to be First Lieutenant of Marines, to take rank from the 19th of June, 1819.

Thomas S. English, Second Lieutenant, to be First Lieutenant of Marines, to take rank from the 11th of August, 1819. And

Henry W. Gardner, Second Lieutenant, to be First Lieutenant of Marines, to take rank from the 30th of September, 1819.

JAMES MONROE.

April 15th, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles W. Morgan, Lieutenant, to be a Master Commandant in the Navy; and

Addison Searle, of New Hampshire, to be a Chaplain in the Navy.

JAMES MONROE.

April 15th, 1820.

The messages were severally read.

On motion,

The message nominating Charles W. Morgan and Addison Searle, to offices, was considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Charles W. Morgan, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nomination of Addison Searle, together with the nominations to appointments in the Marine Corps, be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1820.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Daniel Brent:

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination which I made to the Senate, some time ago, of Henry Conner, as Marshal of the United States for the district of Illinois.

JAMES MONROE.

21st April, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, James Wilson, of Maryland, as a Director of the Bank of the United States, in the room of John McKim, Junior, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

25th April, 1820.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

Mr. Pleasants, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the nominations of Addison Searle, William W. Dulany, Thomas S. English, and Henry W. Gardner, contained in the message of the 15th instant, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

MONDAY, MAY 1, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Daniel Brent:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, William M. M'Lean, of Ohio, to be Receiver of Public Moneys, for the district of Delaware, in the said State.

Thomas B. Vanhorne, of the said State, to be Register of the said district.

Herlon Howard, of Ohio, to be Receiver of Public Moneys, for the district of Piqua, in the said State.

Platt Brush, of Ohio, to be Register of the said district.

Ambrose Whitlock, of Indiana, to be Receiver of Public Moneys, for the district of Terre Haut, in the said State.

Williamson Dunn, of Indiana, to be Register of the said district.

Lazarus Noble, of Indiana, to be Receiver of Public Moneys, for the district of Brookville, in said State.

Robert Hanna, Jun., of Indiana, to be Register of said district.

Charles M. Taylor, of Indiana, to be Receiver of Public Moneys, for the district of Jeffersonville, in said State; vice Edward H. Taylor, resigned.

George Ferebee, of North Carolina, as Surveyor and Inspector for the port of Pasquotank River Bridge.

JAMES MONROE.

May 1st, 1820.

The message was read.

On motion,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Public Lands, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James Wilson, as contained in the message of the 27th of April; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the consideration of the treaty concluded with the Kickapoo tribe of Indians, made at Edwardsville; and,

On motion by Mr. Smith, that it be,

Resolved, That the further consideration of the treaty concluded at Edwardsville, in the State of Illinois, the 13th day of July, 1819, with the Kickapoo tribe of Indians, be postponed; and that it be recommended to the President of the United States to proceed to further negotiation with the said tribe, in order that the provision contained in the sixth article, whereby it is stipulated that the United States do cede, for them and their heirs, for ever, a certain tract of land lying in the Missouri Territory, may be expunged from the said treaty; and that the said lands, ceded by the United States to the said tribe, within the Missouri Territory, be reserved to the said tribe, in like manner as has been practised in other similar cases.

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 15; Nays, 12.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Dana, Elliott, Gaillard, Horsey, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Lanman, Macon, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Walker, of Alabama, Walker, of Georgia, and Williams, of Tennessee.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Edwards, Johnson, of Louisiana, Leake, Lloyd, Logan, Lowrie, Noble, Taylor, Thomas, Trimble, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

TUESDAY, MAY 2, 1820.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the consideration of the treaty with the Kickapoo Indians of the Vermillion; and no amendment having been proposed thereto, the President reported it to the House; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Leake submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the thirtieth day of August, 1820, between the United States and the chiefs, warriors, and headmen, of the tribe of Kickapoos of the Vermillion.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, one of the majority,

The vote of yesterday, on the motion of Mr. Smith to postpone the treaty made with the Kickapoo Indians, at Edwardsville, was re-considered. Whereupon,

Mr. Smith withdrew the said motion; and

The treaty was again considered, as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been proposed thereto, the President reported it to the House; and

Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be postponed until to-morrow.

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Daniel Brent:

To the Senate of the United States:

I correct the nomination which was made a few days ago, of William M. M'Lean, of Ohio, as Receiver of Public Moneys for the district of Delaware, in said State, instead of Piqua; and of

Thomas B. Vanhorne, of said State, as Register of the district of Delaware, instead of Piqua; of

Horton Howard, of the said State, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for the district of Piqua, instead of Delaware; and of

Platt Brush, of said State, as Register for the district of Piqua, instead of Delaware.

JAMES MONROE.

May 4, 1820.

The message was read, and considered by unanimous consent. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of William M. M'Lean, and Thomas B. Vanhorne, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations be postponed.

Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, from the Committee on the Public Lands, to whom was referred the nominations to offices contained in the message of the first instant, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Williamson Dunn, Lazarus Noble, Robert Hanna, Jun., Charles M. Taylor, and George Ferebee, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations be indefinitely postponed.

The treaty with the Kickapoo Indians of the Vermillion, was read the third time; and the resolution for the ratification thereof having been agreed to,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was unanimously determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 25.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Gaillard, Horsey, Johnson, of Louisiana, King, of Alabama, Lanman, Leake, Lowrie, Macon, Noble, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Thomas, Trimble, Van Dyke, Walker, of Alabama, Williams, of Mississippi, and Williams, of Tennessee.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the thirtieth day of August, 1819, between the United States and the chiefs, warriors, and headmen, of the tribe of Kickapoos of the Vermillion.

TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1820.

The Senate resumed the nomination of John Hersey, contained in the message of the 9th February; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the treaty with the Kickapoo Indians, made at Edwardsville; and,

On motion by Mr. Leake,

To amend the 6th article, line 1, by inserting after the words "consideration of," the following words: *and exchange for*. And, also, in line 2d, after the word "cede," the following words: *to the said tribe, to be by them possessed in like manner as the lands ceded by the first article of this treaty, by them to the United States, were possessed*;

It was unanimously determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 23.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Dana, Eaton, Edwards, Elliott, Gaillard, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Leake, Logan, Lowrie, Macon, Morrill, Palmer, Parrott, Pleasants, Roberts, Sanford, Smith, Thomas, Trimble, Walker, of Alabama, and Williams, of Tennessee.

On motion by Mr. Leake,

Further to amend the said article, by leaving out the following words, after the word "cede," in the 2d line, viz: "to them and their heirs forever;" and, also, the following proviso: "Provided, nevertheless, That the

said tribe shall never sell the said land, without the consent of the President of the United States;"

The President put the question, "Shall these words stand as part of the article?"

It was unanimously determined in the negative: Nays, 23.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Dana, Eaton, Edwards, Gaillard, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Leake, Logan, Lowrie, Macon, Morrill, Palmer, Parrott, Pleasants, Roberts, Sanford, Smith, Thomas, Trimble, Walker, of Alabama, and Williams, of Tennessee.

No further amendment having been proposed;

Ordered, That the treaty pass to a third reading.

Mr. Leake submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at Edwardsville, in the State of Illinois, on the thirtieth day of July, 1819, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Kickapoo tribe of Indians: Provided, and on condition, that the following amendments be made thereto, to wit:

That after the word "of," in the first line of the sixth article, there be inserted the words *and exchange for*; in the second line of the said sixth article, after the word "cede," that the words "to them and their heirs for ever" be expunged, and in lieu thereof, there be inserted, *to the said tribe, to be by them possessed in like manner as the lands ceded by the first article of this treaty by them to the United States, were possessed*: and, also, to expunge from the said sixth article, the following words: "Provided nevertheless, that the said tribe shall never sell the said land, without the consent of the President of the United States;" so as to make the said sixth article read—"In consideration of *and exchange for* the cession made by the aforesaid tribe in the first article of this treaty, the United States, in addition to three thousand dollars worth of merchandise this day paid to the said tribe, hereby cede *to the said tribe, to be by them possessed in like manner as the lands ceded by the first article of this treaty by them to the United States, were possessed*; a certain tract of land in the Territory of Missouri, and included within the following boundaries, viz: beginning at the confluence of the rivers Pommes de Terre and Osage; thence up said river Pommes de Terre, to the dividing ridge which separates the waters of Osage and White rivers; thence with said ridge and westwardly, to the Osage line; thence due north with said line, to Nerve creek; thence down the same to a point due south of the mouth of White Clay or Pichard creek; thence north to the Osage river; thence down said river to the beginning."

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1820.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Daniel Brent:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, Lawrence Taliaferro, of Virginia, to be Indian Agent, at Peter's, on the Upper Mississippi.

George Gray, of Kentucky, to be Indian Agent, at Natchitoches, Louisiana, vice John Jamison, deceased.

Matthew Lyon, of Kentucky, as United States' Factor, at Arkansas.

Lilburn W. Boggs, of Missouri, as Assistant Factor, at Fort Osage, on the Missouri.

John Taylor, of South Carolina, and John Floyd, of Georgia, to be Commissioners to hold a treaty with the Creek Indians, for the extinguishment of their title to all the lands claimed by them within the State of Georgia.

Lewis Cass, of the Michigan Territory, and Solomon Sibley, of the Michigan Territory, to be Commissioners to hold treaties with the Indians of that Territory, for the extinguishment of their titles to lands within the same.

Charles Tait, of Alabama, as Judge of the district of Alabama.

Joseph Selden, of Virginia, as Judge of the district of Arkansas.

David Files, of Alabama, as Marshal for the district of Alabama.

William Crawford, of Alabama, as District Attorney for the district of Alabama.

John N. Moulder, of the City of Washington, as a Justice of the Peace for Washington county, in the District of Columbia.

William S. Radcliff, of the City of Washington, as a Justice of the Peace for Washington county, in the District of Columbia.

Thomas G. Waters, of Georgetown, District of Columbia, as a Justice of the Peace for Washington county, in the District of Columbia.

JAMES MONROE.

May 10th, 1820.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, the persons mentioned on the annexed paper, for the promotions and appointments in the Army of the United States, designated in the list.

JAMES MONROE.

May 10th, 1820.

PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

Corps of Artillery.

Lieutenant R. M. Kirby, to be 1st Lieutenant, 23d March, 1818.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieutenant John Culbertson, to be Captain, 16th March, 1820, vice Baker, promoted.

2d Lieutenant Abraham Musser, to be 1st Lieutenant, 16th March, 1820, vice Culbertson, promoted.

2d Lieutenant Horace Webster, to be 1st Lieutenant, 5th April, 1820, vice Phillips, resigned.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

Lieutenant Colonel Josiah Snelling, of the 6th Infantry, to be Colonel, 1st June, 1819, vice Miller, resigned.

Sixth Regiment of Infantry.

Brevet Colonel John E. Wool, to be Lieutenant Colonel, 10th February, 1818, vacant by the promotion of Snelling.

1st Lieutenant Alphonso Wetmore, to be Captain, 25th December, 1819, vice Read, deceased.

1st Lieutenant Thomas Staniford, to be Captain, 1st March, 1820, vice Livingston, resigned.

2d Lieutenant John Mansfield, to be 1st Lieutenant, 25th December, 1819, vice Wetmore, promoted.

2d Lieutenant Henry Taylor, to be 1st Lieutenant, 1st March, 1820, vice Staniford, promoted.

2d Lieutenant Zalmon C. Palmer, to be 1st Lieutenant, 1st March, 1820, vice Ellison, resigned.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

Lieutenant Colonel Matthew Arbuckle, to be Colonel, 16th March, 1820, vice Brearley, resigned.

Major John Nicks, to be Lieutenant Colonel, 16th March, 1820, vice Arbuckle, promoted.

Brevet Major Daniel Baker, Captain 3d Infantry, to be Major, 16th March, 1820, vice Nicks, promoted.

2d Lieutenant Richard D. Davis, to be 1st Lieutenant, 15th February, 1820, vice McLean, resigned.

Rifle Regiment.

2d Lieutenant Samuel Shannon, to be 1st Lieutenant, 23d February, 1820, vice Martin, dropped.

APPOINTMENTS.

Robert C. Walmsey, Post Surgeon, to be Surgeon, 8th Infantry, vice Russell, declined.

Henry Stanton, Assistant Deputy Quartermaster General, to be Deputy Quartermaster General, vice Mason, resigned.

Henry Atkinson, Colonel 6th Infantry, to be Brigadier General, vice Ripley, resigned.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

On motion,

The nominations of John Taylor and John Floyd, contained in the message nominating Lawrence Taliaferro, and others, to offices, were considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The treaty made with the Kickapoo Indians, at Edwardsville, was read the third time; and the resolution for the ratification thereof having been agreed to,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty, as amended?"

It was unanimously determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 27.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Dana, Elliott, Gaillard, Horsey, Johnson, of Louisiana, King, of Alabama, King, of New York, Lanman, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Noble, Parrott, Pleasants, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Trimble, Walker, of Alabama, and Williams, of Mississippi.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded at Edwardsville, in the State of Illinois, on the 30th day of July, 1819, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Kickapoo

tribe of Indians: Provided, and on condition, that the following amendments be made thereto, to wit:

That after the word "of," in the first line of the 6th article, there be inserted the words, *and exchange for*; in the second line of the said article, after the word "cede," that the words "to them and their heirs forever," be expunged, and in lieu thereof, there be inserted, *to the said tribe, to be by them possessed in like manner as the lands ceded by the first article of this treaty by them to the United States, were possessed*: And also, to expunge from the said sixth article, the following words: "Provided, nevertheless, that the said tribe shall never sell the said land, without the consent of the President of the United States;" so as to make the said sixth article read—

In consideration of *and exchange for* the cession made by the aforesaid tribe, in the first article of this treaty, the United States, in addition to three thousand dollars worth of merchandise, this day paid to the said tribe, hereby cede *to the said tribe, to be by them possessed in like manner as the lands ceded by the first article of this treaty by them to the United States, were possessed*; a certain tract of land in the Territory of Missouri, and included within the following boundaries, viz: Beginning at the confluence of the rivers Pommès de Terre and Osage; thence up said river Pommès de Terre, to the dividing ridge which separates the waters of Osage and White rivers; thence with said ridge and westwardly to the Osage line; thence due north, with said line, to Nerve creek; thence down the same to a point due south of the mouth of White Clay, or Pichard creek; thence north to the Osage river; thence down said river, to the beginning.

FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1820.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Daniel Brent.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles Stewart, a Captain in the Navy, to be a Commissioner of the Navy.

JAMES MONROE.

May 11th 1820.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

The Senate took into consideration; the message of the 10th instant, nominating to promotions and appointments in the Army; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to inquire and and report thereon.

The Senate resumed the nominations of Horton Howard, and Platt Brush, contained in the message of the 5th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1820.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the message of the 10th instant, nominating Lawrence Taliaferro, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Lawrence Taliaferro, Matthew Lyon, Lilburn W. Boggs, Lewis Cass, Solomon Sibley, Charles Tait, Joseph Selden, David Files, William Crawford, John N. Moulder, and William S. Radcliff, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George Gray, to be Indian Agent?"

It was determined in the negative: Yeas, 10; Nays, 15.

On motion,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Dana, Eaton, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Pleasants, Stokes, and Trimble.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Brown, Gaillard, Horsey, Johnson, of Louisiana, King, of Alabama, Lowrie, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Smith, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Walker, of Alabama, and Williams, of Tennessee.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do *not* advise and consent to the appointment.

Ordered, That the nomination of Thomas G. Waters be postponed.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 10th instant, nominating to Military promotions and appointments, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions and appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Smith,

Ordered, That the injunction of secrecy be taken off from the proceedings of the Senate, on the several Indian treaties which have been acted on during the present session.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 12th instant, nominating Charles Stewart to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1820.

The Senate resumed the nomination of Thomas G. Waters, contained in the message of the 10th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion,

The Senate agreed to reconsider the vote of the 13th instant, on the nomination of George Gray; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Daniel Brent:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Henry Conner, as Marshal for the district of Illinois.

Thomas Coxe, as Register of the Land Office at Vandalia, for the district of Illinois.

John McLean, as Receiver of Public Moneys, for the district of Illinois.

Philip Fouke, as Register of the Land Office at Palestine, for the district of Illinois.

Guy W. Smith, as Receiver of Public Moneys at Palestine, for the district of Illinois.

Dennis Prieur, as Receiver of Public Moneys, in the Eastern district of Louisiana.

James Johnson, of Virginia, as Collector for the port of Norfolk, in Virginia.

John Mallowney, of Pennsylvania, as Consul at Tangier, in the empire of Morrocco, vice James Simpson, deceased.

Joseph Dunbar, as Receiver of Public Moneys at the Land Office west of Pearl river.

Lewis Winston, as Register of the Land Office west of Pearl river.

John McKee, as Register of the Land Office at Tuscaloosa, in the District of Alabama.

Adden Lewis, as Receiver of Public Moneys at the Land Office in the Southern district of Alabama.

JAMES MONROE.

The message was read, and considered by unanimous consent. Whereupon, *Resolved*, That the Senate do advise and consent to all the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively, except Philip Fouke, Guy W. Smith, John McKee, and Adden Lewis, which were postponed.

The following written message was also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. D. Brent:

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nominations which I made to the Senate, on the 13th instant, of John McKee, as Register of the Land Office at Tuscaloosa, and Adden Lewis, as Receiver of the Southern Land District of Alabama.

JAMES MONROE.

15th May, 1820

END OF THE FORTY-SECOND SESSION.